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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q81016

Dominique LIGEOIS, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/820,788

Group Art Unit: 1745

Confirmation No.: 8716

Examiner: Karie Amber Oneill

Filed: April 9, 2004

For: ELECTRIC COUPLING OF A CONNECTION TO AN ELECTROCHEMICAL
BUNDLE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

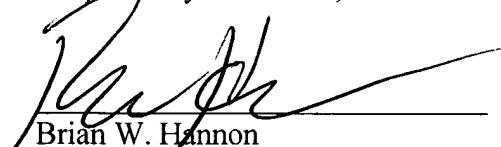
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three (3) months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 3, 2006 to December 3, 2006.

A check for the statutory fee of \$1020.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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